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The reply filed on August 4, 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office

Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Note that applicant's

representative states that claims 1, 8-9 and 13-58 read on the elected specie, Ezetimibe.

This statement is incorrect. For example, claims 10-11 read on the elected specie. See

37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is

given **ONE** (1) **MONTH or THIRTY** (30) **DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice,

whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid

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37 CFR 1.136(a).

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Sreeni Padmanabhan., can be reached on (703) 305-1877. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703) 308-4556.

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